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**Re: State Universal Service Support of Basic Local Service included in a
Bundled Service Offering or Contract Offering
Docket No. 2009-326-C**

Dear David:

Pending before you as Hearing Officer in the referenced docket is our motion to compel ORS to produce certain documents. We filed the motion on September 16th and ORS responded with a memorandum in opposition on September 28th. We filed a reply memorandum on October 2nd and the matter is ready for your consideration.

I am writing now to ask you to expedite your ruling on the motion. I do not mean to presume to know how you are going to rule, but if we are going to receive the documents we would like to get them as soon as we can. I realize that we will not be able to receive them prior to filing our first set of testimony on October 9th but we have rebuttal testimony due on October 23rd and we would like to have the documents prior to that filing if possible.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this request. If you would like to have a hearing on the motion please let us know.

Yours truly,

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